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## Filing at a Glance

Company: Aetna Life Insurance Company

Product Name: 2009 Student Health

TOI: H04 Health - Blanket Accident/Sickness

Sub-TOI: H04.001 Student

Filing Type: Form

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State Status: Approved-Closed

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Reviewer(s): Rosalind Minor

Author: SPI AetnaSPI

Disposition Date: 06/09/2009

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## General Information

Project Name: 2009 Student Health

Project Number: GH AR0185701F01

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval

Explanation for Combination/Other:

Submission Type: New Submission

Overall Rate Impact:

Filing Status Changed: 06/09/2009

Status of Filing in Domicile:

Date Approved in Domicile:

Domicile Status Comments:

Market Type: Group

Group Market Size: Small and Large

Group Market Type: Employer

Explanation for Other Group Market Type:

State Status Changed: 06/09/2009

Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

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Filing Description:

The purpose of this filing is to support the following options for our dental products:

1. Addition of coverage for vertical bitewing x-rays, core build-up, implants, adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests, brush biopsy, full mouth debridement, and bone grafts services.

2. Addition of two new dental exclusions: "replacement of teeth beyond the normal complement of 32" and "other than for covered preventive services, services and supplies provided where there is no evidence of pathology, dysfunction, or

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disease."

## Company and Contact

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Hartford, CT 06156	Group Name: Aetna	State ID Number:
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## Filing Fees

Fee Required?	No
Retaliatory?	No
Fee Explanation:	
Per Company:	No

COMPANY	AMOUNT	DATE PROCESSED	TRANSACTION #
Aetna Life Insurance Company	\$0.00	06/08/2009	

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## Correspondence Summary

### Dispositions

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
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### Amendments

Item	Schedule	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
filing fee check	Supporting Document	SPI AetnaSPI	06/09/2009	06/09/2009

### Filing Notes

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Item Type	Item Name	Item Status	Public Access
Supporting Document	Application	Approved-Closed	Yes
Supporting Document	Flesch Certification	Approved-Closed	Yes
Supporting Document	Cover Letter	Approved-Closed	Yes
Supporting Document	Attachment A, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03100E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03105E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03110E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03115E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03120-1E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03120-2E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03135E V002, EOVS AL GE ASTUD03140E V002, EOVS AL GE, ...	Approved-Closed	Yes
Supporting Document	filing fee check	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type A & B Visits and X-Rays	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type B - Oral Surgery, Periodontics, Endodontics	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type B continued, Type C	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type C - Restorative, Prosthodontics	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type C continued	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Dental PPO - Type C continued	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Plan Features	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Plan Coinsurance	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Type A & B Visits and X-Rays	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Type B - Oral Surgery, Periodontics, Endodontics	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Type B Continued. Type C	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Type C - Restorative, Prosthodontics	Approved-Closed	Yes
Form	Comprehensive Dental - Type C continued	Approved-Closed	Yes

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<b>Form</b>	Comprehensive Dental - Type C continued	Approved-Closed	Yes
<b>Form</b>	Exclusions That Apply To The Dental Plan	Approved-Closed	Yes

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**Amendment Letter**

Amendment Date:

Submitted Date: 06/09/2009

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**Changed Items:**

**Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes:**

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## Form Schedule

**Lead Form Number:** GR-96134 3100 Ed. 05/09

Review Status	Form Number	Form Type	Form Name	Action	Action Specific Data	Readability	Attachment
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3100 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type A Initial & B Visits and X-Rays			0	GR-96134 3100 Ed_05_09.PDF
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3105 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type B Initial - Oral Surgery, Periodontics, Endodontics			0	GR-96134 3105 Ed_05_09.PDF
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3110 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type B Initial continued, Type C			0	GR-96134 3110 Ed_05_09.PDF
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3115 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type C Initial - Restorative, Prosthodontics			0	GR-96134 3115 Ed_05_09.PDF
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3120-1 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type C Initial continued			0	GR-96134 3120-1 Ed_05_09.PDF
Approved-Closed	GR-96134 3120-2 Ed. 05/09	Schedule Pages	Dental PPO - Type C Initial continued			0	GR-96134 3120-2 Ed_05_09.PDF
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#### Endodontics

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Closed	3165 Ed.	Pages	Dental - Type B			3165 Ed_
	05/09		Continued. Type C			05_09.PDF
Approved-	GR-96134	Schedule	Comprehensive	Initial	0	GR-96134
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	05/09		Restorative,			05_09.PDF
			Prosthodontics			
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	05/09		continued			05_09.PDF
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	05/09		continued			05_09.PDF
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	05/09		Plan			05_09.PDF



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**[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE]**

**Unless otherwise specified below, all per year maximum limit references apply on a Policy Year basis.**

**[Type A Expenses: Diagnostic and Preventive Care]**

**VISITS AND X-RAYS**

Office visit during regular office hours. For oral examination. Limited to 2-6 visits every year.

Prophylaxis (cleaning). Limited to 2-6 treatments per year.

Topical application of fluoride. Limited to 1-4 courses of treatment per year and to covered persons under age 14-30.

Sealants - per tooth. Limited to 1-2 applications every 1-5 years for permanent bicuspid and molars only - to covered persons under age 14-30.

Bitewing X-rays Limited to 1-4 set per year.

Entire dental series - , including bitewings or panoramic film limited to 1-8 sets every 1-5 years.

Vertical bitewing X-rays. Limited to 1-4 sets every 1-5 years.

**[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care]**

**VISITS AND X-RAYS**

Professional visit after hours. Payment will be made on the basis of services rendered or visit, whichever is greater.

Emergency palliative treatment - per visit.

**X-RAY AND PATHOLOGY**

Periapical x-rays - single films up to 13-25 films.

Intra-oral - occlusal view - maxillary or mandibular.

Upper or lower jaw - extra-oral.

Biopsy and histopathologic examination of oral tissue.

[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]

[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]

[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE]

**[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care (continued)]**

**ORAL SURGERY**

Extractions

Exposed root or erupted tooth

Surgical removal of erupted tooth

Impacted Teeth

Removal of tooth (soft tissue)

Odontogenic Cysts and Neoplasms

Incision and drainage of abscess

Removal of odontogenic cyst or tumor

Other Surgical Procedures

Alveoplasty, in conjunction with extractions - per quadrant

Alveoplasty, not in conjunction with extraction - per quadrant

Sialolithotomy, removal of salivary calculus

Closure of salivary fistula

Excision of hyperplastic tissue

Removal of exostosis

Transplantation of tooth or tooth bud

Closure of oral fistula of maxillary sinus

Sequestrectomy

Crown exposure to aid eruption

Removal of foreign body from soft tissue

Frenectomy

Suture of soft tissue injury

**PERIODONTICS**

Occlusal adjustment. Other than with an appliance or by restoration.

Root planning and scaling, per quadrant. Limited to 1-4 separate quadrants every 1-2 years.

Root planning and scaling. 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant (limited to 1-4 per site every 1-2 years).

Gingivectomy, per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per quadrant every 1-3 years.

Gingivectomy 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per site every 1-3 years.

Gingival flap procedure. Per quadrant, limited to 1-2 per quadrant every 1-3 years.

Gingival flap procedure. 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant (limited to 1-2 per site every 1-3 years).

Periodontal maintenance procedures following active therapy (limited to 1-2 per year).

Localized delivery of chemotherapeutic agents.

**ENDODONTICS**

Pulp cap

Pulpotomy

Apexification/recalcification

Apicoectomy

Root canal therapy including necessary X-rays

Anterior

Bicuspid]

**[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]  
[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE]**

**[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care (continued)]**

**RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY** Excludes inlays. Crowns (other than prefabricated stainless steel or resin) and bridges. (Multiple restorations in 1 surface will be considered as a single restoration.)

Amalgam restorations

Resin-based composite restorations (other than for molars)

Pins

Pin retention—per tooth; in addition to amalgam or resin restoration

Crowns (when tooth cannot be restored with a filling material)

Prefabricated stainless steel

Prefabricated resin crown (excluding temporary crowns)

Recementation

Inlay

Crown

Bridge]

**[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care**

**ORAL SURGERY**

Impacted Teeth

Removal of tooth (partially bony)

Removal of tooth (completely bony)

Brush biopsy

**PERIODONTICS**

Osseous surgery (including flap and closure). 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant, limited to 1-4 per quadrant, every 1-5 years.

Osseous surgery (including flap and closure). Per quadrant, limited to 1-4 per site, every 1-5 years.

Soft tissue graft procedures.

Clinical Crown Lengthening. Hard Tissue.

Full mouth debridement. Limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

Bone grafts. First site in quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

Bone grafts. Each additional site in quadrant limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

**ENDODONTICS**

Root canal therapy, including necessary X-rays

Molar]

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[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]

[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE  
[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]

**RESTORATIVE --** [Inlays, onlays, labial veneers and crowns are covered only as treatment for decay or acute traumatic injury and only when teeth cannot be restored with a filling material or when the tooth is an abutment to a fixed bridge. Limited to 1-2 per tooth every 1-10 years. (See *Replacement Rule*.)

Inlays/Onlays-Metallic or Porcelain/Ceramic

    Inlay- 1 or more surfaces

    Onlay- 2 or more surfaces

Inlays/Onlays - Resin-based composite

    Inlay- 1 or more surfaces

    Onlay- 2 or more surfaces]

Labial Veneers

    Laminate - chairside

    Resin laminate – laboratory

    Porcelain laminate – laboratory

Crowns

Resin with noble or base metal

Porcelain with noble or base metal

Base metal (full cast)

Noble metal (full cast)

Metallic (3/4 cast)

Post and core

Core Build-Up

**PROSTHODONTICS -** First installation of dentures and bridges is covered only if needed to replace teeth extracted while coverage was in force and which were not abutments to a denture or bridge less than 1-10 years old. (See *Tooth Missing But Not Replaced Rule*.) Replacement of existing bridges or dentures is limited to 1 every 1-10 years. (See *Replacement Rule*.)

Bridge Abutments (See Inlays and Crowns)

Pontics

    Base metal (full cast)

    Noble metal (full cast)

    Porcelain with noble metal

    Porcelain with base metal

    Resin with noble metal

    Resin with base metal]

**[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]  
[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE]**

**[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]**

**PROSTHODONTICS (CONTINUED)**

Removable Bridge (unilateral)

One piece casting; chrome cobalt alloy clasp attachment (all types) per unit; including pontics

Dentures and Partials (Fees for dentures and partial dentures include  
relines; rebases; and adjustments; within 6 months after installation.

Fees for relines and rebases include adjustments within 6 months after  
installation. Specialized techniques and characterizations are not eligible.)

Complete upper denture

Complete lower denture

Partial upper or lower; resin base (including any conventional clasps; rests and teeth)

Partial upper or lower; cast metal base with resin saddles (including any conventional clasps; rests  
and teeth) Stress breakers

Interim partial denture (stayplate); anterior only

Office reline

Laboratory reline

Special tissue conditioning

Rebase

Adjustment to denture more than 6 months after installation

Full and partial denture repairs

Broken dentures; no teeth involved

Repair cast framework

Replacing missing or broken teeth; each tooth

Adding teeth to existing partial denture: Teeth and clasps

Repairs: crowns and bridges

Occlusal guard (for bruxism only); limited to 1-4 every 1-5 years]

**[IMPLANTS]**

**[SPACE MAINTAINERS --** Only when needed to preserve space resulting from premature loss of  
deciduous teeth. (Includes all adjustments within 6 months after installation.)

Fixed (unilateral or bilateral)

Removable (unilateral or bilateral)

Removable inhibiting appliance to correct thumbsucking

Fixed or cemented inhibiting appliance to correct thumbsucking]

**[GENERAL ANESTHESIA AND INTRAVENOUS SEDATION --** (Only when provided in  
conjunction with a covered procedure)]



**[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]  
[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS (Continued)]**

**[PPO DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE]**

**[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]**

**[ORTHODONTICS]**

Interceptive orthodontic treatment  
Limited orthodontic treatment  
Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of dentition  
Post treatment stabilization]]

**[VISITS AND EXAMS]**

Adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests (limited to 2-6 visits every year)]

[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]

[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

[The plan pays a benefit up to the Dental Emergency Maximum shown in the Dental Care Schedule].

The care provided must be a covered service or supply. A **covered person** must submit a claim to **Aetna** describing the care given. [Follow-up care is not considered an emergency condition and is not covered as part of any emergency care visit. Once you have been treated and discharged, you should contact your **dentist** for any necessary follow-up care. For coverage purposes, follow-up care is treated as any other **covered dental expense** for routine **illness** or **injury**.]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE

PLAN FEATURES

[Policy Year Deductible

Individual \$[25-200]

Family \$[50-600]

[The policy year **deductible** applies to all **covered expenses** except Type A Expenses.]

[**Covered expenses** that are subject to the **deductible** include Medical, **Prescription Drug**, Dental, Vision; and Hearing expenses provided under the **Aetna** [Medical], [**Prescription Drug**], [Dental], [Vision], [Hearing] plan.].

[**Orthodontic Deductible**

The orthodontic **deductible** applies separately to **covered students** and their **covered dependents**. After **covered dental expenses** reach the orthodontic **deductible**, the plan will begin to pay benefits for covered orthodontic expenses for the rest of the policy year.]

Orthodontic **Deductible:**    \$[25-1,000]]

[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]

[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE  
[PLAN COINSURANCE]

[The percentage the plan will pay varies by the type of expense.]

[Type A Expenses	[100 - 70]%]
[Type B Expenses	[100 - 30]%;
[Type C Expenses	[100 - 30]%;
[Orthodontic Treatment	[100 - 30]%]
[Plan Coinsurance Limit (per policy year)	[\$[10,000] Individual \$[30,000] Family]

For certain **covered dental expenses**, the amount the **covered person** is required to pay is limited. In addition to the Policy Year **Coinsurance Limit**, which applies separately to the **covered person**, there is also a family limit.

Certain **covered dental expenses** do not apply toward the Individual Policy Year **Coinsurance Limit** and the Family Policy Year **Coinsurance Limit**. These include:

- Expenses applied toward a **deductible** or **copay** amount.
- Expenses above the **recognized [charge].**

**[Policy Year Maximum Benefit]**

**Policy Year Maximum Benefit:** \$[500-10,000]

The most the plan will pay for **covered dental expenses** incurred by any one **covered person** in a policy year is called the Policy Year Maximum Benefit.

[**Covered expenses** that are subject to the **deductible** include Medical, **Prescription Drug**, Dental, Vision; and Hearing expenses provided under the Aetna [Medical], [**Prescription Drug**], [Dental], [Vision], [Hearing] plan.].]

**[STUDENT ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE]**

**[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]**

**[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE**

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Vertical bitewing X-rays (limited to 1-4 sets every 1-5 years).

**[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care]**

**VISITS AND X-RAYS**

Professional visit after hours (payment will be made on the basis of services rendered or visit, whichever is greater).

Emergency palliative treatment per visit.

**X-RAY AND PATHOLOGY**

Periapical x-rays (single films up to 13-25 films).

Intra-oral occlusal view maxillary or mandibular.

Upper or lower jaw extra-oral.

Biopsy and histopathologic examination of oral tissue,]

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[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE

[[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care (continued)]]

**ORAL SURGERY**

Extractions

Exposed root or erupted tooth

Surgical removal of erupted tooth

Impacted Teeth

Removal of tooth (soft tissue)

Odontogenic Cysts and Neoplasms

Incision and drainage of abscess

Removal of odontogenic cyst or tumor

Other Surgical Procedures

Alveoplasty; in conjunction with extractions

Alveoplasty; not in conjunction with extraction

Sialolithotomy: removal of salivary calculus

Closure of salivary fistula

Excision of hyperplastic tissue

Removal of exostosis

Transplantation of tooth or tooth bud

Closure of oral fistula of maxillary sinus

Sequestrectomy

Crown exposure to aid eruption

Removal of foreign body from soft tissue

Frenectomy

Suture of soft tissue injury

**PERIODONTICS**

Occlusal adjustment (other than with an appliance or by restoration).

Root planning and scaling per quadrant. Limited to 1-4 separate quadrants every 1-2 years.

Root planning and scaling – 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per site every 1-2 years.

Gingivectomy per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per quadrant every 1-3 years.

Gingivectomy 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per site every 1-3 years.

Gingival flap procedure - per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per quadrant every 1-3 years.

Gingival flap procedure – 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant. Limited to 1-2 per site every 1-3 years.

Periodontal maintenance procedures following active therapy. Limited to 1-2 per year.

Localized delivery of chemotherapeutic agents.

**ENDODONTICS**

Pulp cap

Pulpotomy

Apexification/recalcification

Apicoectomy

Root canal therapy including necessary X-rays

Anterior

Bicuspid]

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[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE

[[Type B Expenses: Basic Restorative Care (continued)]]

**RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY** Excludes inlays crowns (other than prefabricated stainless steel or resin) and bridges. (Multiple restorations in 1 surface will be considered as a single restoration.)

Amalgam restorations

Resin-based composite restorations (other than for molars)

Pins

Pin retention - in addition to amalgam or resin restoration

Crowns (when tooth cannot be restored with a filling material)

Prefabricated stainless steel

Prefabricated resin crown (excluding temporary crowns)

Recementation

Inlay

Crown

Bridge]

[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care

**ORAL SURGERY**

Impacted Teeth

Removal of tooth (partially bony)

Removal of tooth (completely bony)

Brush biopsy

**PERIODONTICS**

Osseous surgery (including flap and closure). 1 to 3 teeth per quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per quadrant every 1-5 years.

Osseous surgery (including flap and closure) per quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per site every 1-5 years.

Soft tissue graft procedures

Clinical Crown Lengthening – Hard Tissue.

Full mouth debridement limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

Bone grafts first site in quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

Bone grafts each additional site in quadrant. Limited to 1-4 per lifetime.

**ENDODONTICS**

Root canal therapy, including necessary X-rays.

Molar]

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[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

COMPREHENSIVE [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE

[[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]]

**RESTORATIVE** [Inlays, onlays, labial veneers and crowns are **covered dental expenses** only as treatment for decay or acute traumatic injury and only when teeth cannot be restored with a filling material or when the tooth is an abutment to a fixed bridge (limited to 1-2 per tooth every 1-10 years) – (See *Replacement Rule*)

Inlays/Onlays-Metallic or Porcelain/Ceramic

Inlay 1 or more surfaces

Onlay 2 or more surfaces

Inlays/Onlays-Resin-based composite

Inlay 1 or more surfaces

Onlay 2 or more surfaces]

[Labial Veneers

Laminate-chairside

Resin laminate – laboratory

Porcelain laminate – laboratory

Crowns

Resin with noble or base metal

Porcelain with noble or base metal

Base metal (full cast)

Noble metal (full cast)

Metallic (3/4 cast)

Post and core

Core Build-Up

**PROSTHODONTICS-** First installation of dentures and bridges is covered only if needed to replace teeth extracted while coverage was in force and which were not abutments to a denture or bridge less than 1-10 years old. (See *Tooth Missing But Not Replaced Rule*.) Replacement of existing bridges or dentures is limited to 1 every 1-10 years. (See *Replacement Rule*.)

Bridge Abutments (See Inlays and Crowns)

Pontics

Base metal (full cast)

Noble metal (full cast)

Porcelain with noble metal

Porcelain with base metal

Resin with noble metal

Resin with base metal]

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[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

COMPREHENSIVE [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE

[Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]

**PROSTHODONTICS (continued)**

Removable Bridge (unilateral)

One piece casting chrome cobalt alloy clasp attachment (all types) per unit including pontics].

Dentures and Partials (Fees for dentures and partial dentures include relines, rebases and adjustments within 6 months after installation.

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Complete upper denture

Complete lower denture

Partial upper or lower resin base (including any conventional clasps rests and teeth)

Partial upper or lower cast metal base with resin saddles (including any conventional clasps rests and teeth)]

Stress breakers

Interim partial denture (stayplate), anterior only

Office reline

Laboratory reline

Special tissue conditioning per denture

Rebase per denture

Adjustment to denture more than 6 months after installation

Full and partial denture repairs

Broken dentures no teeth involved

Repair cast framework

Replacing missing or broken teeth, each tooth

Adding teeth to existing partial denture. Teeth and clasps.

Each tooth

Each clasp

Repairs crowns and bridges

Occlusal guard (for bruxism only). Limited to 1-4 every 1-5 years.

[IMPLANTS]

[SPACE MAINTAINERS Only when needed to preserve space resulting from premature loss of deciduous teeth. Includes all adjustments within 6 months after installation.

Fixed (unilateral or bilateral)

Removable (unilateral or bilateral)

Removable inhibiting appliance to correct thumbsucking

Fixed or cemented inhibiting appliance to correct thumbsucking]

[GENERAL ANESTHESIA AND INTRAVENOUS SEDATION (only when provided in conjunction with a covered procedure)]



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**[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]**

**[COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]**

**COMPREHENSIVE [LIMITED] DENTAL CARE SCHEDULE**

**[ [Type C Expenses: Major Restorative Care (continued)]**

**[ORTHODONTICS]**

Interceptive orthodontic treatment

Limited orthodontic treatment

Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of dentition

Post treatment stabilization]]

**[VISITS AND EXAMS]**

Adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests (limited to 2-6 visits every year).]

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[SECTION 6 - COVERAGE (Continued)]

[PPO] [COMPREHENSIVE] [LIMITED] DENTAL EXPENSE BENEFITS]

[EXCLUSIONS THAT APPLY TO THE DENTAL PLAN

[Except as covered in the Dental Care Schedule section, non-surgical and surgical treatment of any **jaw joint disorder** and treatments to alter bite or the alignment or operation of the jaw, including temporomandibular joint disorder (TMJ) treatment, orthognathic surgery, and treatment of malocclusion or devices to alter bite or alignment.]

[**Orthodontic treatment**, except as covered in the Dental Care Schedule].

Pontics crowns cast or processed restorations made with high noble metals (gold or titanium).

Prescribed drugs pre-medication or analgesia.

Replacement of a device or appliance that is lost, missing or stolen, and for the replacement of appliances that have been damaged due to abuse, misuse or neglect and for an extra set of dentures.

[Replacement of teeth beyond the normal complement of 32.]

[Removal of soft bony impactions.]

[Other than for covered preventive services, services and supplies provided where there is no evidence of pathology, dysfunction, or disease.]

[Surgical removal of impacted wisdom teeth when only for orthodontic reasons.]

[Topical application of fluoride.]

[Treatment by other than a **dentist**. However, the plan will cover some services provided by a licensed dental hygienist under the supervision and guidance of a **dentist**. These are:

- Scaling of teeth, and
- Cleaning of teeth.]

[Treatment of alveolectomy.]

[Treatment of periodontal disease.]]

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Dear Commissioner Bradford:

We wish to submit the following Form filing for Group, Group Health for use in Arkansas.

This filing has been submitted to or is exempt from filing in our domiciliary state of Connecticut.

Policy Form(s) and Endorsement(s) Submitted:

Form Title: Dental PPO - Type A & B Visits and X-Rays  
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We trust with the enclosed information, you will be able to review our filing and grant an approval. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned. Thank you in advance for your help and attention to this matter.

Mr. John Ciesielski



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## ATTACHMENT A

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### **2. Type A Expenses - Visits and X-Rays**

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

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4. **Type B Expenses – Periodontics**

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When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingival flap will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the time period for periodontal maintenance will vary within the range provided.

5. **Type C Expenses – Periodontics**

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When included, the frequency limits for full mouth debridement will vary within the range provided.

When included, the frequency limits for bone grafts, first site in quadrant and each additional will vary within the ranges provided.

6. **Type C Expenses – Restoratives**

When included, the frequency limit and time period for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

7. **Type C Expenses – Prosthodontics**

When included, the time periods for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limit and time period for occlusal guard will vary within the ranges provided.

8. **Type C Expenses – Visits and Exams**

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

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#### **8. Type C Expenses – Visits and Exams**

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

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When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingivectomy will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingival flap will vary within the ranges provided.

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#### 5. **Type C Expenses – Periodontics**

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for osseous surgery will vary within the ranges provided.

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When included, the frequency limits for bone grafts, first site in quadrant and each additional will vary within the ranges provided.

#### 6. **Type C Expenses – Restoratives**

When included, the frequency limit and time period for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

#### 7. **Type C Expenses – Prosthodontics**

When included, the time periods for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limit and time period for occlusal guard will vary within the ranges provided.

#### 8. **Type C Expenses – Visits and Exams**

When included, the frequency limit for adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests will vary within the range provided.

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#### **7. Type C Expenses – Prosthodontics**

When included, the time periods for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

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#### **8. Type C Expenses – Visits and Exams**

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When included, the frequency limit for adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests will vary within the range provided.

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In the headings, either the term “comprehensive” or “limited” will be used, but not both.

The first sentence will be included when a policyholder’s plan includes a benefit maximum applicable to services and supplies related to a dental emergency.

1. **Policy Year Deductible** - When included, under a policyholder’s plan, the plan may include an individual deductible or both an individual and a family deductible. The individual and family deductible amounts will vary [within the ranges provided. The deductible may apply to all expenses or may be waived for certain expenses, (e.g., preventive). The expenses for which the deductible has been waived will be listed.
2. **Individual Deductible** - This item will be included when the deductible applies to a person who enrolls as a single person (e.g., no dependents). The deductible amounts will vary within the range shown.
3. **Family Deductible** - This item will be included when the deductible applies to members enrolled as a family. This is the only deductible that applies to all family members (e.g., no individual deductible). The deductible amount will vary within the range provided.
4. This paragraph will be included when the dental plan deductibles are integrated with deductibles applicable to other coverage under the plan. This paragraph will specify which coverage categories are included as part of the integrated deductible.
5. **Orthodontic Deductible** - The section on the orthodontic deductible will be included if the policyholder’s plan includes coverage for orthodontia, and the policyholder has also elected to include a separate deductible.

The deductible may apply per policy year or per lifetime. The deductible amount will vary within the range provided. When the deductible applies on a lifetime basis, the end of the second sentence will refer to the covered person’s lifetime rather than the remainder of the policy year.

## Explanation of Variability

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In the headings, either the term “comprehensive” or “limited” will be used, but not both.

1. The first sentence will be included when plan coinsurance varies by expense type. The policyholder will have the option of electing the [following] coinsurance percentage levels that the plan will pay [and the percentages vary but will not be lower than what is shown]:
  - Type A Expenses will range from 100% to 70%;
  - Type B Expenses will range from 100% to 30%; and
  - Type C Expenses will range from 100% to 30%.
  - Orthodontic Treatment will range from 100% to 30%.

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The reference to coverage for orthodontic treatment will be included when elected by a policyholder as part of their plan of benefits.

2. **Plan Coinsurance Limit** - When included under a policyholder’s plan, the plan may include an individual limit or both an individual and a family limit. The dollar limits will vary within the ranges provided.
3. A policyholder may elect to exclude certain covered expenses from application toward the Coinsurance Limit. When applicable, the policyholder may include all or any of the covered expenses listed. If any applicable deductible and copay amounts accumulate toward the limit, the name of the limit will be changed, (e.g., “plan out-of-pocket). “Recognized” charge may be shown as “negotiated”, “reasonable”, “usual and customary” or words of similar meaning.
4. **Policy Year Maximum Benefit** - When included, the amount will vary within the range provided. The maximum may be combined with other health coverages under the policyholder’s plan of benefits. When the plan is integrated with the policyholder’s medical coverages, this item will name the medical coverages that are or are not integrated with the dental maximum. This paragraph will specify which coverage categories are included as part of the integrated Policy Year Maximum Benefit.



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2. **Type A Expenses - Visits and X-Rays**

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3. **Type B Expenses** - All endodontic, periodontic and/or oral surgery services may be moved to the major restorative category (Type C Services).

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

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#### **4. Type B Expenses – Periodontics**

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When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingivectomy will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingival flap will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the time period for periodontal maintenance will vary within the range provided.

#### **5. Type C Expenses – Periodontics**

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for osseous surgery will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits for full mouth debridement will vary within the range provided.

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#### **6. Type C Expenses – Restoratives**

When included, the frequency limit and time period for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

#### **7. Type C Expenses – Prosthodontics**

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When included, the frequency limit for prophylaxis (cleanings) will vary within the range provided.

When included, the frequency limits for topical application of fluoride will vary within the ranges provided. If coverage is applicable only to children, the reference to covered person will be changed to covered dependent.

When included, the frequency limit, time period and age limit for sealants will vary within the range provided. If coverage is applicable only to children, the reference to covered person will be changed to covered dependent.

When included, the frequency limit for bitewing x-rays will vary within the range provided.

When included, the frequency limit and the time period for the entire dental series, including bitewings, or panoramic film will vary within the range provided.

When included, the frequency limit and the time period for vertical bitewing x-rays will vary within the ranges provided.

3. **Type B Expenses** - All endodontic, periodontic and/or oral surgery services may be moved to the major restorative category (Type C Services).

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### **X-Ray and Pathology**

When included, the frequency limit for periapical x-rays will vary within the range provided.

#### 4. **Type B Expenses – Periodontics**

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for root planning and scaling will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingivectomy will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for gingival flap will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the time period for periodontal maintenance will vary within the range provided.

#### 5. **Type C Expenses – Periodontics**

When included, the frequency limits and time periods for osseous surgery will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limits for full mouth debridement will vary within the range provided.

When included, the frequency limits for bone grafts, first site in quadrant and each additional will vary within the ranges provided.

#### 6. **Type C Expenses – Restoratives**

When included, the frequency limit and time period for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

#### 7. **Type C Expenses – Prosthodontics**

When included, the time periods for restorative services will vary within the ranges provided.

When included, the frequency limit and time period for occlusal guard will vary within the range provided.

#### 8. **Type C Expenses – Visits and Exams**

When included, the frequency limit for adjunctive pre-diagnostic tests will vary within the range provided.

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### **Exclusion That Apply To The Dental Plan**

Throughout this section each bracketed exclusion may be omitted, or specific services or supplies mentioned within the exclusion may be omitted if the policyholder has elected to provide coverage, or the exclusion is already listed in the medical exclusions section

The exclusions on this page may be moved to the medical exclusions list when Aetna medical coverage is also purchased.

The product plan name applicable to the policyholder's coverage will print in the heading at the top of the page. Either the term "PPO", "comprehensive" or "limited" will be used, but they will not be combined.

Cosmetic Services: The bracketed phrase will print when certain items of the exclusion are covered under the dental plan.

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